

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
NAOKI TSUCHITOI) : Examiner: Y. Barqadle
Application No.: 10/023,747) : Group Art Unit: 2153
Filed: December 21, 2001) : Confirmation No.: 5260
For: INFORMATION MANAGEMENT)
APPARATUS, DEVICE :
CONTROL APPARATUS,)
INFORMATION MANAGEMENT :
METHOD, AND MEMORY)
MEDIUM STORING PROGRAM : January 5, 2007

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 7, 2006 for one month from December 7, 2006 to Monday, January 8, 2007.

The Director is authorized to charge the \$120.00 extension fee or any deficiency therein, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 50-3939.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, CA office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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